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In response to the Office Action dated December 1, 2005, please reconsider the application in view of the remarks below.

A listing of claims begins on page 2 of this paper for the Examiner's convenience, but no amendments are being proposed.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.